

## SOCIAL and PERSONAL

MISS FRANCES MYERS, Miss Barbara Trigg and Miss Elizabeth Preston will be the guests of honor to-day at an entertainment given by Miss Myers' uncle, Mr. L. D. Myers, 513 West Franklin Street. The hours for the afternoon reception will be from 5 to 7, and the evening from 8 o'clock on.

A very pleasant feature of the afternoon during Lent will be the room in the Jefferson Hotel, managed by the members of the Girls' Club. The names of those who will be in charge on the different days of the week are: Monday, Mrs. Edward Mayo, Miss Evelyn Gordon; Tuesday, Miss Mary Hickok, Miss Bertha Trigg; Wednesday, Mrs. David H. Leake, Miss Maude Morgan; Thursday, Miss Caroline Gordon; Friday, Miss Eleanor Lindsey; Saturday, Miss Mildred Boyd; Sunday, Miss Gretchen Nollings, Miss Kate Meredith; Saturday, Miss Harris, Miss Nellie Davenport and Miss Gertrude Caim.

At Woman's Club.  
This afternoon at half-past 4 o'clock Mrs. H. W. Rawett will repeat, by special request, her most interesting paper on "Mirabeau" before the class in French history, as, on account of the very inclement weather at the last meeting, so few were able to be present.

Mrs. Swanson in Washington.  
Mrs. Claude A. Swanson arrived in Washington Monday to be the guest for the week of Judge and Mrs. Charles Howry, and received with the Howrys on Monday afternoon. Governor and Mrs. Swanson will be the guests of honor at a dinner to-morrow night given by Judge and Mrs. Howry. Mrs. Swanson is the daughter of Mr. Howry, who is now in the United States Army, and is a member of the Washington Club.

Stay-at-Home Whist.  
The next meeting of the Stay-at-Home Whist Club will be held with Mr. Thomas L. Moore, in his home, 519 West Franklin Street.  
The club met on Monday night with Mrs. S. W. Travers, four tables being engaged.

Top score was made by Mrs. Basil Spaulding and Mr. W. R. Robins.  
For Miss Shirley's Wedding.  
The wedding of Miss Elizabeth Shirley, niece of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Ewing, to Mr. Thomas Shevlin, of Minneapolis, will take place at the home of the bride's mother, at Louisville, Ky., February 1st. The ceremony will be quiet, and Mr. Shevlin and his bride will leave at once for their future home in Minneapolis.

Robinson-Clark.  
An engagement of interest just announced, is that of Miss Betty Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peyton Clark, of Baltimore, and Mr. W. Champlin Robinson, son of the late Edward A. Robinson, of Baltimore. Miss Clark is descended from distinguished Virginia ancestry, and is quite popular in society.

Mr. Robinson is well known in both the business and social world, and is a member of the leading Baltimore clubs, among them the Bachelors', Col. Hill and the Country Club.

Judge Garnett at Banquet.  
Judge Theodore S. Garnett, of Norfolk, was a guest of honor at the annual meeting of the Maryland Veterans, and attended the banquet on Tuesday evening given at the Kierman, in Baltimore, by the Society of the Army and Navy of the Confederate States, in the State of Maryland. Judge Garnett, who is a charming and distinguished

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speaker, had been invited to respond to the toast "Our Cavalry," a very graceful compliment, as he was the only speaker outside of the State of Maryland. He was a member of the staff of General J. E. B. Stuart.

Lady Paget to Visit America.  
Lady Paget, daughter of the late Lord Paget, sailed for New York Saturday, accompanied by her son, Albert, and several friends. Her stay in America will be extended as she has a first visit to her native land in a number of years. She does not plan to return to London until March, and will, therefore, be in New York for some time before visiting Massachusetts, the native State of her father and mother.

The marriage of Miss Stevens to the brilliant young soldier, who is now known as Major-General Sir Arthur Paget, took place just thirty years ago, and introduced the beautiful young American girl into the most exclusive circle of English society.

Miss Converse Engaged.  
Rear-Admiral and Mrs. Converse, of Washington, have just announced the engagement of their daughter, Shelby, to Mr. Huntington Wolcott Jackson. Miss Converse is returning from a visit of several months in Europe, and arrived at New York yesterday. Like her sisters she was educated principally abroad. She is a gifted horsewoman, being one of the best riders among the women in military circles in Washington.

Mr. Jackson is a son of the late Mr. John P. Jackson, a noted lawyer of Pennsylvania, and Mrs. Jackson.

Woman's Missionary Union.  
The Woman's Missionary Union of East Hanover Presbyterian will meet to-morrow afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the High Memorial Church, corner of Nineteenth and Franklin Streets. Mr. Ralston, of Petersburg, will speak.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Kearney have returned from their wedding trip to Cuba and other points south and will be at home to their many friends after February 15th at 1025 South Henry Street, Roanoke.

Mrs. Alvah H. Martin, accompanied by Mrs. Betty L. Martin, left Norfolk recently for a visit to Mr. Martin's sons at Randolph-Macon College and the University of Virginia.

Mrs. Ernest Williams, of Lynchburg, and her son, Arthur, left Saturday to spend six weeks at Hot Springs and New Orleans.

Mrs. Henry Bohmer, who is expected soon to be the guest of Mrs. Cunningham Hall, is now visiting Mrs. Theodosia Wright, at Federal Hill, Fredericksburg. Mrs. Bohmer is president of the Maury Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, in Philadelphia.

Mrs. W. S. Copeland and little daughter have returned to Newport News, after a visit to relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wyndham R. Mayo and their little son are visiting Dr. and Mrs. Walter B. Brooks at their residence on Mount Vernon Place, in Baltimore, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Brooks gave a theatre party of six boxes last Friday night at the Academy of Music, in Baltimore, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Wyndham R. Mayo, Jr., their guests. After the show supper at their residence in East Mount Vernon Place, was served.

Miss Jean Trigg, of Abingdon, who was recently operated on at the Memorial Hospital, is much improved.

Miss Hester Cabell Tabb, of Richmond, is the guest of Miss Mary G. Zollinger, in Baltimore.

Mr. Robert S. Pifer has returned to Danville after a visit to Richmond. Mr. Pifer formerly made his home in this city.

Baroness Hengelmueller will receive to-night at the second dance of the Bachelors', in Washington.

Colonel Richard Hollingsworth has returned to his home, at Massaponax, Va., from a visit to his daughter, Mrs. George Denny, in Indianapolis, Ind.

Miss John Hopkins, of Accomac, left last Saturday for the University of Virginia, where her son, P. L. Hopkins, has been quite sick in the university hospital.

Capitaine—Chapman.  
Mr. Wallace G. Capitaine, of this city, and Miss Elizabeth Farrar Chapman, of Maryland, were married in the morning place yesterday afternoon. This pleasant announcement will be a surprise to most of the friends of the groom, who is well known among the young business men of Richmond. The wedding occurred at the home of the bride's father, Mr. J. N. Chapman, and was an interesting social event.

Rev. C. A. Matthews, pastor of Luray Baptist Church, performed the ceremony immediately after the marriage. Mr. and Mrs. Capitaine left for a tour of some length. They will spend most of the time in New York.

Mr. Capitaine is a young business man of wide acquaintance, and enjoys well deserved popularity. He has for a number of years been associated with the Southern Manufacturing Company, with which he holds a responsible position. Mrs. Capitaine is among the most popular of our young women and will be most cordially welcomed to Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Capitaine will reside at No. 2519 Park Avenue.

Cooke—Dabney.  
ETNA MILLS, VA., January 26.—A pretty wedding was celebrated to-day at "Oakwood," the country home of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Dabney, when their daughter, Miss Jennie Bushrod Dabney, became the bride of Mr. Thomas Francis Cooke, of Enfield. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. James H. Harris, pastor of the Methodist churches of the King William circuit.

Miss Daisy Carroll Smith, of Richmond, was at the piano, and played the wedding march from "Lohengrin." Miss Alice Burwell Dabney, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore an exquisite dress of green messaline and carried white violets. After the marriage luncheon was served, and then the nuptial party drove to Hanover Station, where they left for a Northern tour, taking in Washington and New York.

After February 10th they will be at "Sunnyside," the home of the groom.

Souder—Hassell.  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
FREDERICKSBURG, VA., January 26.—Mr. Curtis Souder, of Philadelphia, and Miss Katherine S. Hassell, daughter of Mrs. A. H. Hassell, of this city, were married to-day at 11 o'clock at the Presbyterian chapel, Rev. J. H. Henderson performing the ceremony. A brother of the bride, Mr. A. R. Hassell, of the Union Theological Seminary, officiated. The ceremony was held at the home of the bride, Mrs. Hassell, a sister of the bride, and Mr. H. Wakeman, of Philadelphia, was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Souder left for a Northern tour, after which they will reside in Lynchburg.

Powell—Crutchfield.  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
LYNCHBURG, VA., January 26.—A marriage of much local interest was celebrated this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Crutchfield, when their daughter, Miss Katherine

Evelyn, became the bride of Mr. Thomas Joseph Powell, of Ashland, W. Va., where he is the purchasing agent of the Potomac Consolidated Coal-Flour Company. Dr. J. A. Thomas, pastor of Centenary Methodist Church, was the officiating minister, and the event was witnessed by a number of relatives and intimate friends.

Miss Annie Whitely, of Charlottesville, was the maid of honor, and Mr. J. Henry Powell, of Richmond, was the best man. Little Misses Polly and Florine Taylor were the ribbon girls, and Master James Clayton Yancey was the ring-bearer.

Miss Emma G. Butts, of Franktown, Northumberland county, just before the ceremony sang "Oh, Promise Me" and the "Lohengrin" wedding march was played by Mrs. Sallie Christian for a processional.

After a brief visit with relatives of the groom in Martinsville, Mr. and Mrs. Powell will be at home on February 2d at Ashland, W. Va.

Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Powell, of Richmond; Miss Annie Whitely, of Charlottesville; Miss Anna Williams, of Roanoke; Miss Helen Wheeler and Misses Cornelia and Monica Critcher, of Elmhurst; Miss Carrie Hite, of Farmville; Miss Ethel Hughes, of Gladys, and Miss Emma G. Butts, of Northampton county.

Norfolk Musicals.  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
NORFOLK, VA., January 26.—Under the auspices of the music department, a delightful social program was given yesterday afternoon at the Woman's Club. Mrs. J. A. Neugebauer acted as chairman, in the absence of Mrs. Robert L. Payne. Mrs. Chester K. Scott rendered several selections. Other vocalists who delighted the large number of guests were Miss Beulah R. Schull and Miss Louise Wilson. Miss Clara Patterson rendered piano selections.

The accompanists were Mrs. Lillie B. Leigh, Mrs. W. W. Whitit and Miss Clara Patterson. At the conclusion of the musical tea was served.

Thursday afternoon there will be a meeting of the art department of the club. Miss Leta Serpell is chairman of this department.

Entertainment for Brides.  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
NORFOLK, VA., January 30.—Yesterday Mrs. Arthur Williamson gave a charming afternoon card party at her home in London Street in honor of Mrs. Henry Mackenzie and Mrs. William Fawcett, two of the season's brides.

To the brides were presented pretty souvenirs, a picture to Mrs. Fawcett and a vase to Mrs. Mackenzie. Miss Elizabeth Neely for the lone hand prize, and a hair-receiver to Miss Ruby Williams as the first prize. The scores were kept by Miss Elsie Nash and Adelaide Bennett, and those who were present were Mrs. Fawcett, Mrs. Mackenzie, Mrs. Chevalier and Misses Mary Haw, of Hanover; Augusta Maupin, Musgrove, Elizabeth and Jane Neely, Gillie Neville, Grace and Hattie Lee and Ruby Williams, and Cherry Nottingham, of Norfolk.

Whitten-Jones.  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
NORFOLK, VA., January 26.—A quiet wedding was solemnized Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Kate Lewis Jones, 123 York Street, when her daughter, Miss Mary Katherine Lewis, became the bride of Lieutenant Francis Samuel Jones, U. S. N. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. James Owens, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church. Immediately afterwards Lieutenant Whitten and his bride left for an extended Southern bridal tour.

Parr-Minter.  
URBANA, VA., January 26.—Miss Ethel G. Minter and Mr. Claude A. Parr were married to-day at 11 o'clock in the home of Mr. Elias Chandler, of this place. The couple took a steamer for Norfolk, where they will be married by Rev. Dr. L. Bushy, of the Methodist Church. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Minter, of the Matthews Journal. The groom is a resident of Norfolk, where they will make their home.

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1 \$35.00 Suit in Green . . . )

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Norfolk society. The wedding will be celebrated after Easter.

Visiting in Capitol.  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
WASHINGTON, D. C., January 26.—Miss Helen Cameron, of Petersburg, Va., accompanied by her sister-in-law, Mrs. William Cameron, of Australia, dined at the Capitol to-day with Representatives Olmstead, of Pennsylvania, and Flood and Lassiter, of Virginia.

GOODMAN GOES FREE.  
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Berkley Furniture Man Cleared of Serious Charge.  
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Mr. Goodman denied the charge in toto, claiming that until he decided to allow them to purchase another bill of goods without a first payment of \$10 was the charge brought against him by the plaintiff.

CASE IS DISMISSED.  
Litigants in Judge Vaddell's Court Reach Agreement.  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
NORFOLK, VA., January 26.—At the Federal court to-day Judge Vaddell presiding, a decree was handed down by agreement dismissing the case of Charles L. Higginbotham et al., of Baltimore, against the Southern Savings, Life and Accident Insurance Company and H. O. Jackson, of Chicago, president of that company, the decree setting forth that "all matters and issues involved in this suit have been fully agreed, compromised and settled."

It was also announced that similar suits brought in Chicago will be dismissed at once.

It was explained that the settlement in question was the resigning of Jackson as president, the election of a new board of directors, which takes over the assets of the company, and the payment of an unstated cash consideration.

TO HELP LEADERS.  
Union Men Raising Fund to Carry On Fight.  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
NORFOLK, VA., January 26.—At a meeting held last night the Norfolk Central Labor Union decided to begin a canvass for a fund of \$1400 to be used to assist Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and Morrison, the three labor leaders, to fight the contempt proceedings under which each was fined and given jail sentences by Judge Wright, of Washington. It is also proposed to hold a mass meeting of protest on Lincoln's birthday. A committee composed of Messrs. Tatum, Scott, Frenpet, Trapp and Worley were named to visit all the associating labor unions and secure their hearty cooperation in the movement. No trouble is anticipated in raising the amount agreed on among the labor unions of the city and vicinity.

SUFFERS FROM GALE.  
Schooner With Cargo for Richmond Is Powed Into Port.  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
NORFOLK, VA., January 26.—The schooner William H. Clifford, Captain Wiley, bound from Port Tampa, Fla., for Norfolk with a cargo of phosphate rock for delivery at Richmond, Va., was towed into this port to-day after severe experiences in recent gales off the coast. She was picked up outside the Virginia capes by the tug Ivanhoe, with ketches going and rigging and canvas torn. Captain Wiley, who was named to visit all the associating labor unions and secure their hearty cooperation in the movement. No trouble is anticipated in raising the amount agreed on among the labor unions of the city and vicinity.

Commits Suicide.  
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NEW-CASTLE, VA., January 26.—L. J. Ferrel, twenty-eight years old, a prominent liverman of this place, committed suicide by shooting himself here at noon to-day. He had been married three months.

Had Fall on Ice.  
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]  
SPOTSYLVANIA, VA., January 26.—Mrs. Nellie Shelton, of Stafford county, had a severe fall on the ice a few days ago. Her collar bone was broken, and she sustained other painful injuries.

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